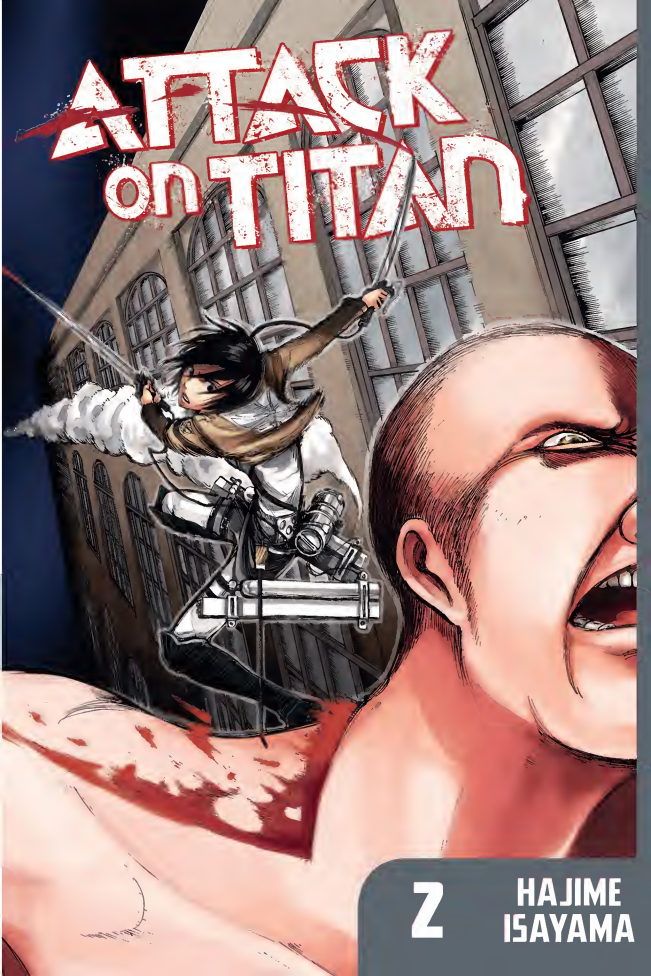


ATTACK on TITAN

The cover art features a dynamic illustration of Eren Yeager in his Survey Corps uniform, mid-air and swinging his vertical maneuvering gear. He is holding a sword aloft in his right hand. In the foreground, a large, close-up profile of a Titan's face is shown, with its mouth wide open in a scream or roar. The background consists of a tall, multi-story building with many windows, suggesting a city setting. The overall color palette is dominated by the reds of the Titan's skin and the greys of the building, with the white of Eren's uniform providing a sharp contrast.

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**HAJIME
ISAYAMA**



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**HADOME
ISAYAMA**

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The World of "Attack on Titan"



Armin Arlert

Eren and Mikasa's childhood friend. Armin excels academically, but barely passed the training corps because of his poor physical skills. He lost Eren right in front of his eyes.



Mikasa Ackerman

Mikasa graduated at the top of her training corps. Raised alongside Eren, she tenaciously tried to protect him, but is currently unaware that he was eaten by a Titan.



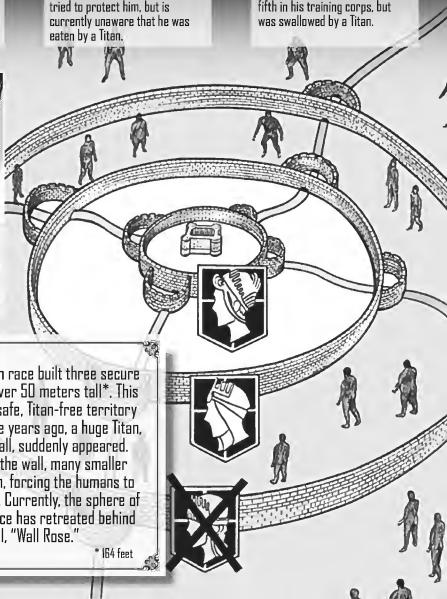
Eren Yeager

Longing for the world outside the wall, Eren aimed to join the Survey Corps. He graduated fifth in his training corps, but was swallowed by a Titan.



Grisha Yeager

A doctor and Eren's father. He went missing after the Titan attack five years ago.



100 years ago, the human race built three secure concentric walls, each over 50 meters tall*. This successfully secured a safe, Titan-free territory for humans. However, five years ago, a huge Titan, taller than the outer wall, suddenly appeared.

After it broke through the wall, many smaller Titans found their way in, forcing the humans to abandon their outer wall. Currently, the sphere of activity of the human race has retreated behind its second wall, "Wall Rose."

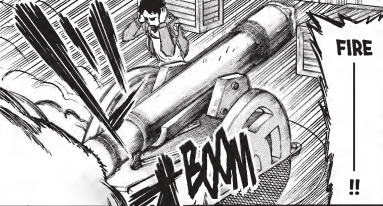
* 164 feet



Beings that prey on humans. Not much is known about the mode of life of these creatures, other than that their intelligence is low and they eat humans. Generally, their height varies between about 3-15 meters high, which is why it was thought they wouldn't be able to get over the human-created wall, but one day, the intelligent, over 50 meter tall "Colossus Titan" appeared...

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Episode 5: A Dull Glow in the Midst of Despair





HURRY
UP AND
LOAD
THE
GRAPE-
SHOT!!

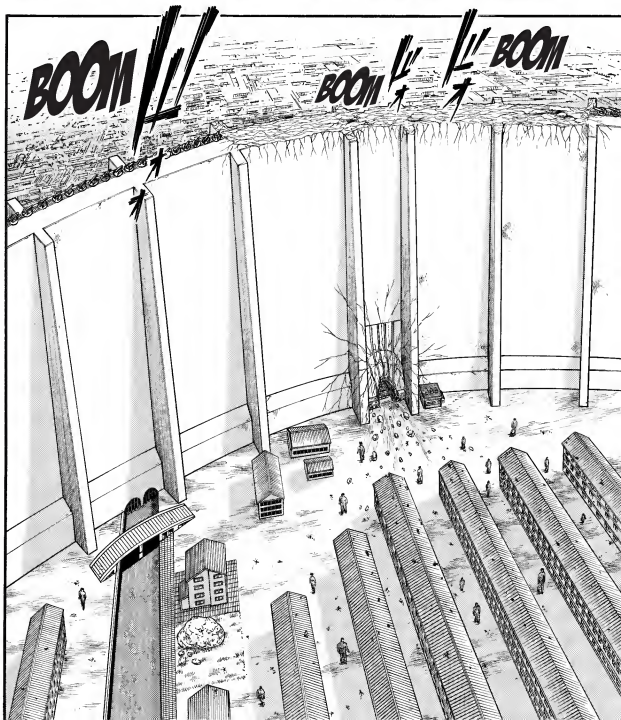
YEAH!! I
DON'T WANNA
LET ANY MORE
TITANS INTO
THE TOWN!
BUT THE
CANNONS
AREN'T
REALLY...

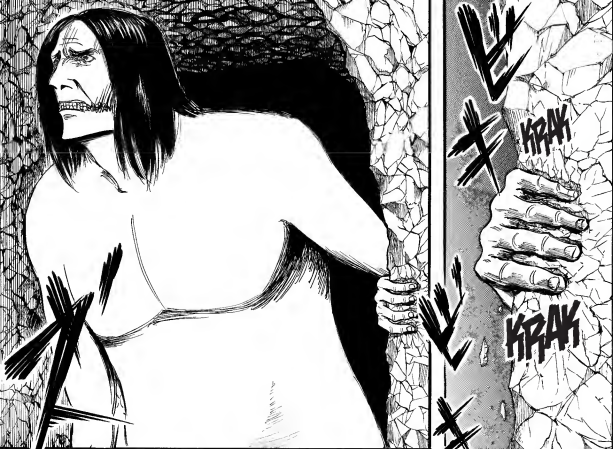
YOUR
WIFE AND
DAUGH-
TER ARE
INSIDE
THIS WALL,
AREN'T
THEY?!

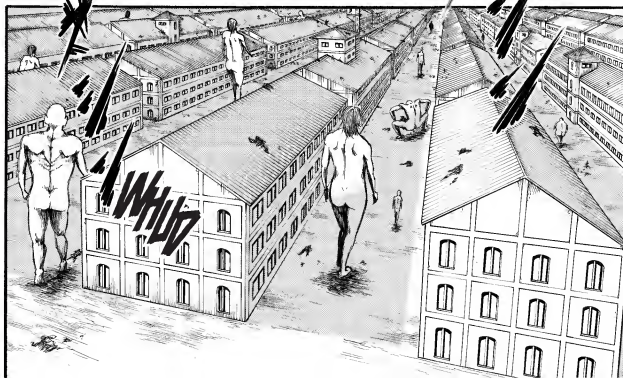
SHUT UP,
MORON! IF
YOU HAVE
TIME TO
TALK, YOU
HAVE TIME
TO RAISE
THE FIRE-
POWER!!

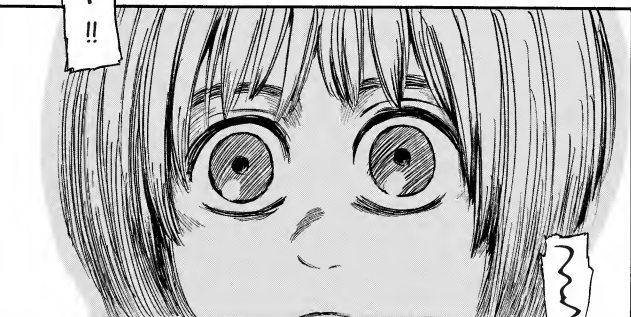
THIS ISN'T
EVEN DOING
ENOUGH TO
BUY US
TIME!

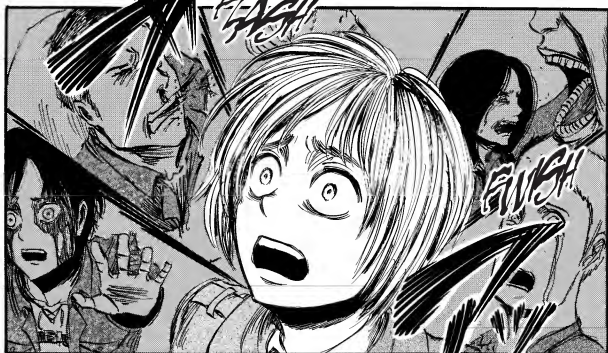






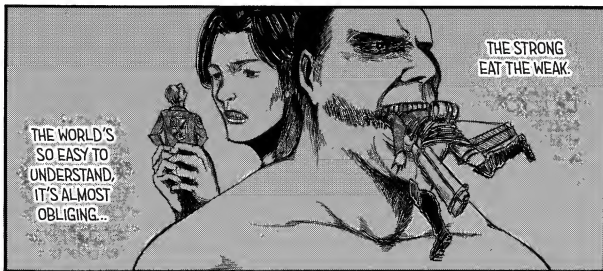
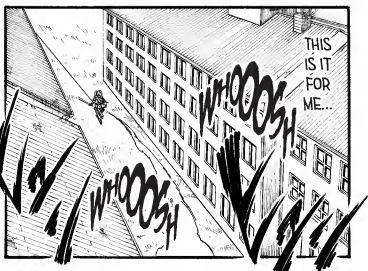
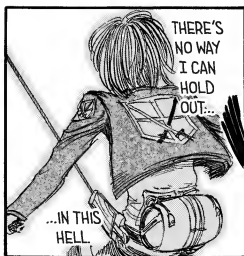


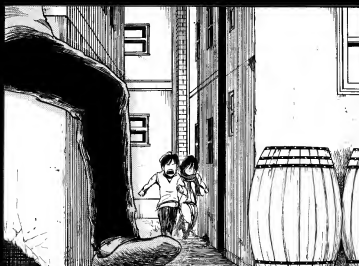
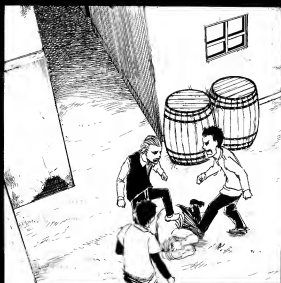












EXCEPT _____



...IN THIS
WORLD, MY
FRIENDS...

...TRIED TO
BE STRONG.

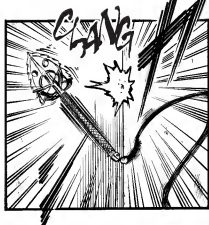


TO THE TWO OF
THEM, I WAS
SOMEONE TO BE
PROTECTED.

I COULDN'T
BEAR THAT...

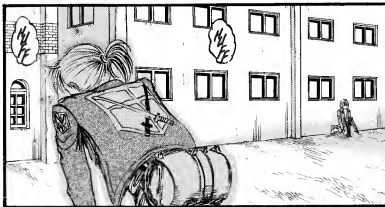
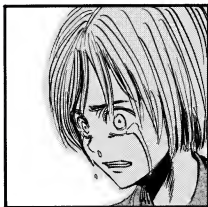


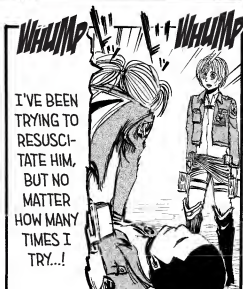
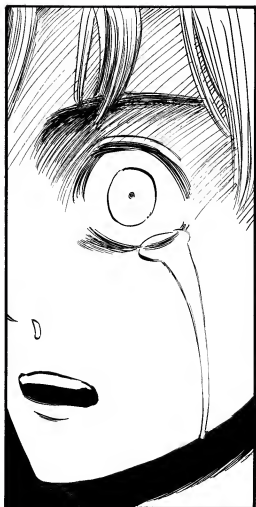
THEY SAVED ME,
THE WEAK.

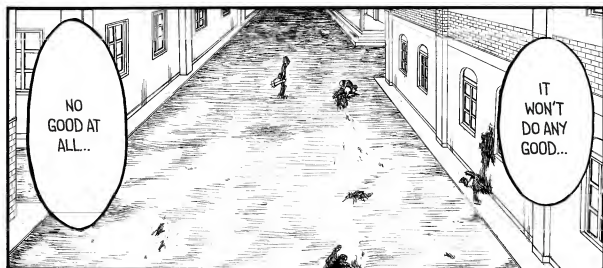
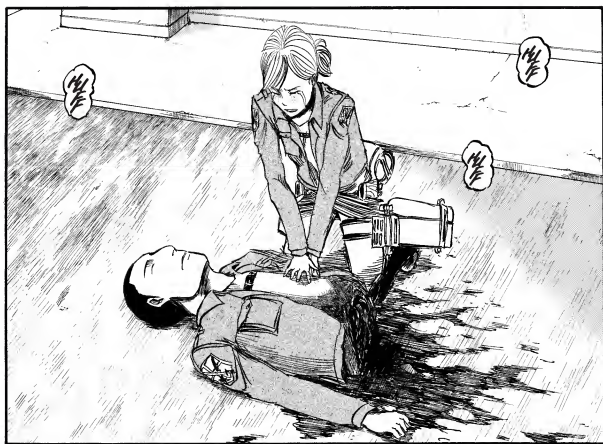


I
WANTED
TO LIVE
IN THIS
WORLD
AS THEY
DID...

I WANTED TO
BE STRONG
LIKE THEM...









AN' IF
YOU
WANNA
GET PAST
THIS
WALL,
YOU'LL
HELP
US!!



WE'RE
DOIN'
THIS
**BE-
CAUSE**
WE
KNOW!!

DO YOU
KNOW
WHAT'S
GOING
ON
RIGHT
NOW?!



H-HEY
...!!
YOU
GUYS
...



ARREST THEM!!

WHAT ARE YOU DOING, SOLDIER ?!

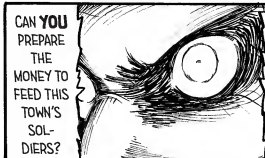


B-BUT ...



WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU THINKING ?! PEOPLE ARE SUPPOSED TO GO THROUGH FIRST!

STOP IT! THAT CARRIER CAN'T GET THROUGH, NO MATTER HOW HARD YOU PUSH!



CAN YOU PREPARE THE MONEY TO FEED THIS TOWN'S SOLDIERS?

I'M THE BOSS OF THIS TOWN'S SHOPPING DISTRICT! WHO DO YOU THINK PAYS FOR THE FOOD YOU SOLDIERS SHIT OUT?!



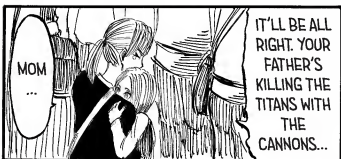
ULP!

JUST TRY IT, GRUNT!



THIS CARGO IS WORTH MORE THAN ALL OF YOUR WRETCHED LIVES COMBINED! BUT HELP ME AND I'LL SHOW MY APPRECIATION AFTERWARDS!!

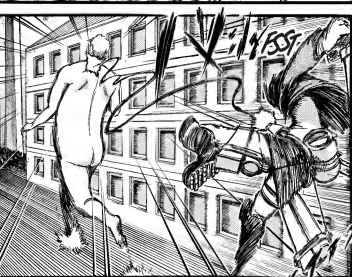
JUST KEEP PUSHING!!



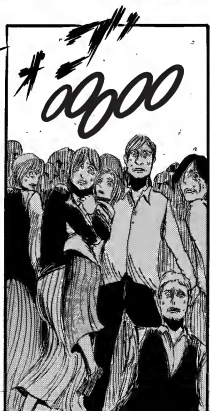
IT'LL BE ALL
RIGHT. YOUR
FATHER'S
KILLING THE
TITANS WITH
THE
CANNONS...

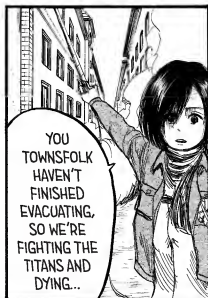
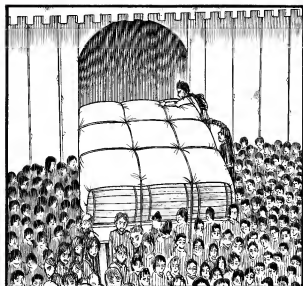














IF YOU THINK
IT'S NATURAL
FOR PEOPLE
TO DIE FOR
OTHER
PEOPLE
...

DON'T BE
FULL OF
YOURSELF
JUST
BECAUSE YOU
FREELOADERS
ARE COMING IN
HANDY FOR
THE FIRST
TIME IN 100
YEARS!



THAT'S
NATURAL! ISN'T
IT YOUR DUTY
TO "DEDICATE
YOUR HEARTS"
TO PROTECT
THE LIVES AND
FORTUNES OF
THE TOWNS-
PEOPLE?!



...HOW YOUR
ONE PRECIOUS
LIFE COULD
SAVE THE LIVES
OF MANY.

...THEN
I'M SURE
YOU'LL
UNDER-
STAND...



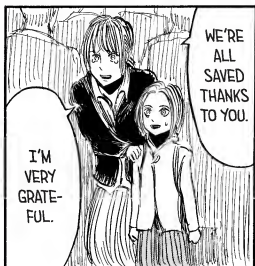
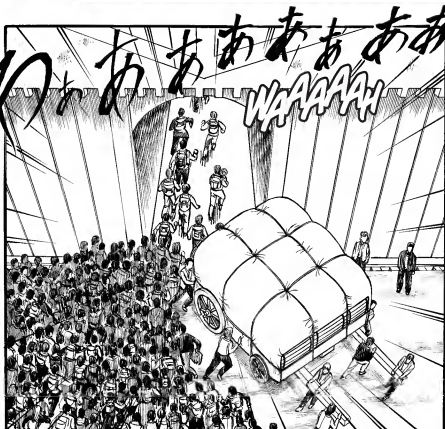
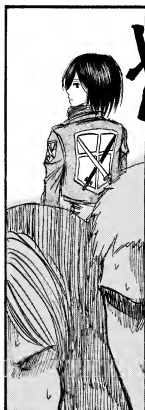
AND I GO WAY BACK WITH
YOUR EMPLOYER! A SINGLE
COMMENT FROM ME CAN
DECIDE WHAT HAPPENS TO
A GRUNT LIKE **YOU!**

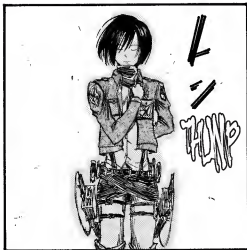
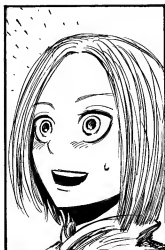
...!! JUST TRY
IT!! I'M THE
BOSS OF THIS
TOWN'S
SHOPPING
DISTRICT!

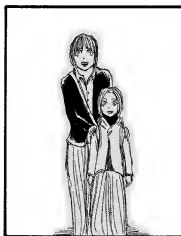
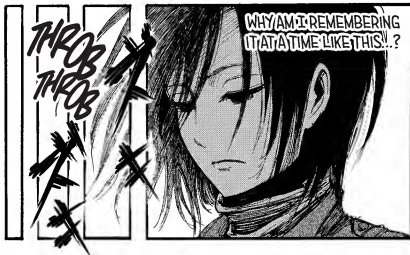
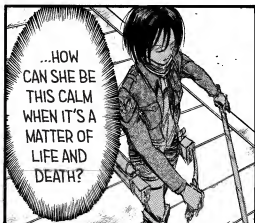


HOW
COULD A
CORPSE SAY
ANYTHING?

?







UNHH
...

844

THROB
THROB

WHEN YOU
HAVE A
CHILD,
YOU'LL
BEQUEATH
IT TO HIM
OR HER.

THIS BRAND
MUST BE
PASSED
DOWN FROM
GENERATION
TO GENERATION
IN OUR
FAMILY.

UNH
...IT
HURTS
...

YOU'RE
HOLDING
UP WELL,
MIKASA...

WELL
...

...HOW
DO YOU
MAKE A
CHILD?

...?
SAY,
MOM
...

NOK-
NOK-
NOK-
NOK-

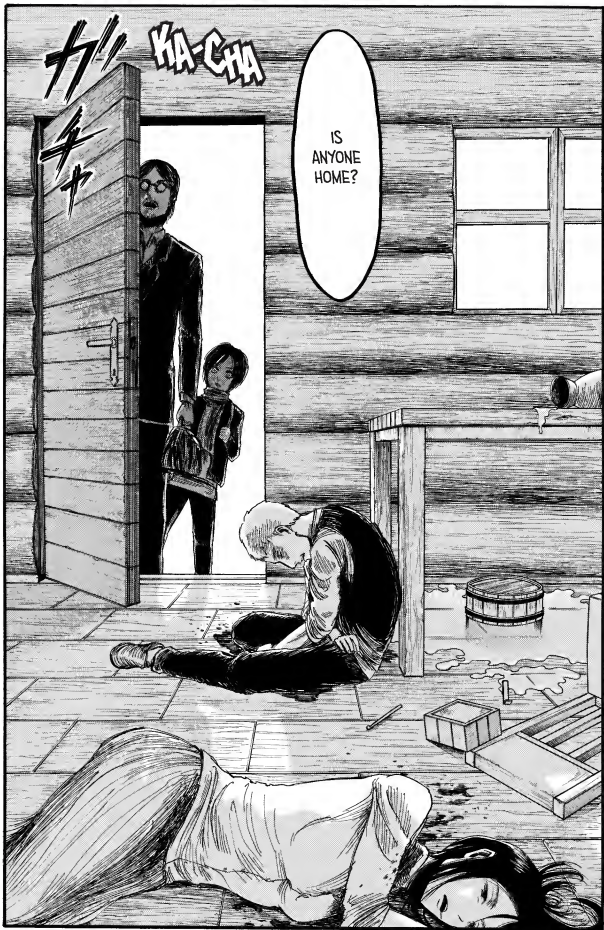
WELL!
SPEAK
OF THE
DEVIL...

OH, I'M A
LITTLE HAZY ON
THE DETAILS
MYSELF. BUT
DR. YEAGER
SHOULD BE
HERE SOON, SO
WHY DON'T WE
TRY ASKING
HIM...?

SAY,
DAD
...

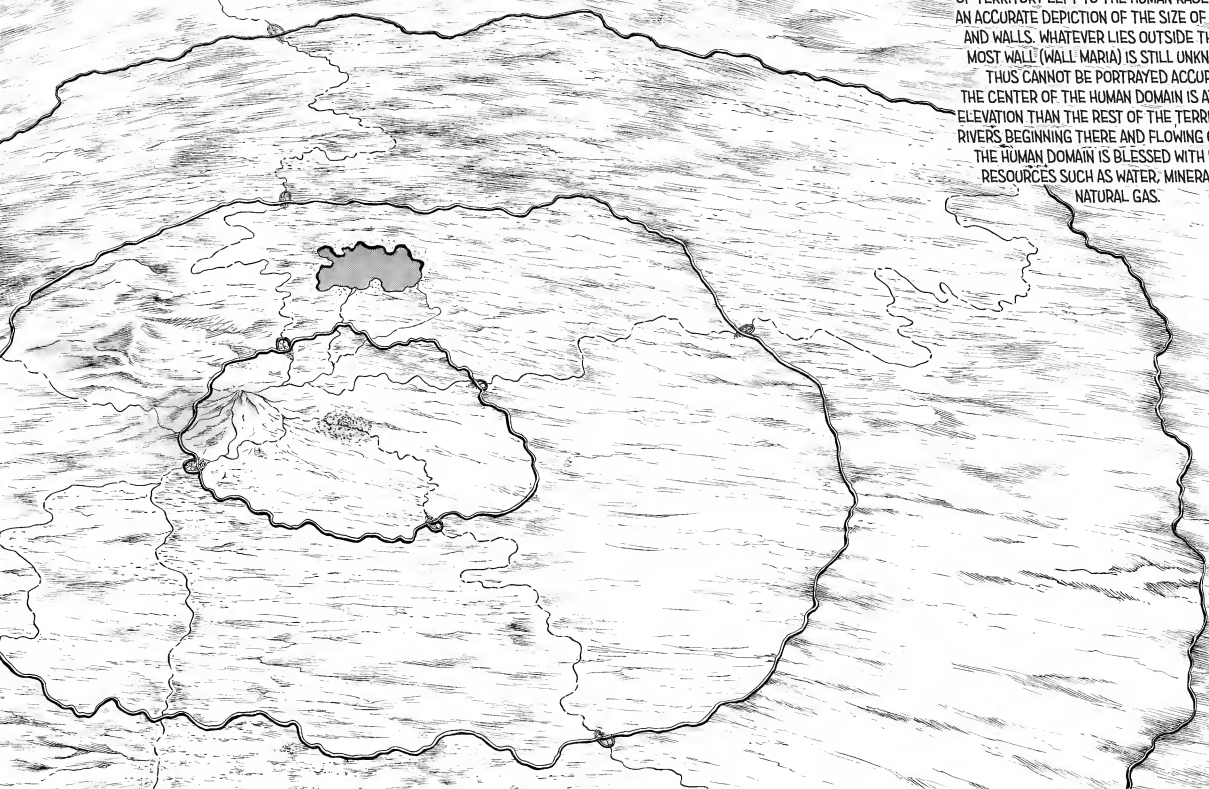
ASK
YOUR
FATHER.





**4. A Broad-scale
Illustration of the
Human Domain**

THIS ILLUSTRATION GIVES A SENSE OF THE EXTENT OF TERRITORY LEFT TO THE HUMAN RACE AND IS NOT AN ACCURATE DEPICTION OF THE SIZE OF THE TOWNS AND WALLS. WHATEVER LIES OUTSIDE THE OUTER-MOST WALL (WALL MARIA) IS STILL UNKNOWN, AND THUS CANNOT BE PORTRAYED ACCURATELY. THE CENTER OF THE HUMAN DOMAIN IS AT A HIGHER ELEVATION THAN THE REST OF THE TERRITORY, WITH RIVERS BEGINNING THERE AND FLOWING OUTWARDS. THE HUMAN DOMAIN IS BLESSED WITH NATURAL RESOURCES SUCH AS WATER, MINERALS AND NATURAL GAS.



ATTACK on TITAN





DO YOU UNDER-
STAND ME,
EREN?

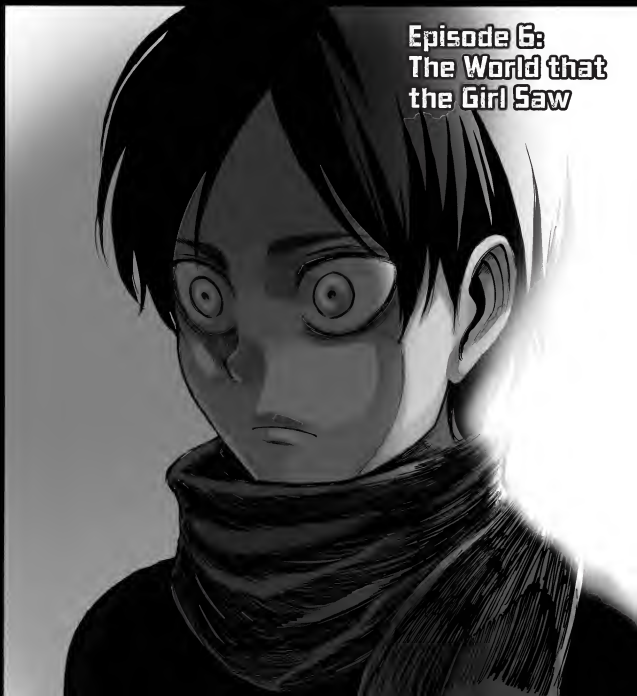


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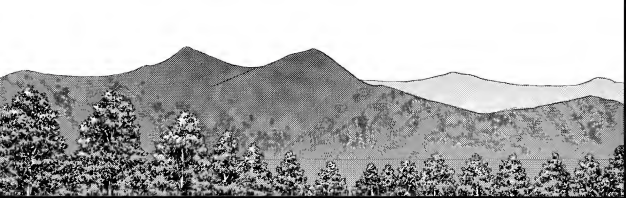


YOU
WAIT AT
THE BASE
OF THE
MOUNTAIN.

I'M GOING
TO CALL ON THE
MILITARY POLICE
BRIGADE AND
REQUEST THAT A
SEARCH PARTY
BE SENT
OUT.



Episode 6: The World that the Girl Saw





HER OLD MAN
DIDN'T LOOK LIKE
SOME ASIAN.
SHE'S NO
PUREBLOOD!

ALL THE
OTHER ASIANS
ARE WIPED
OUT, SO
SHE'LL NET
US A SMALL
FORTUNE.

WE'RE GONNA
AUCTION HER
OFF TO THE
RICH PERVERTS
AT THE
CAPITAL'S
UNDERGROUND
MARKET.



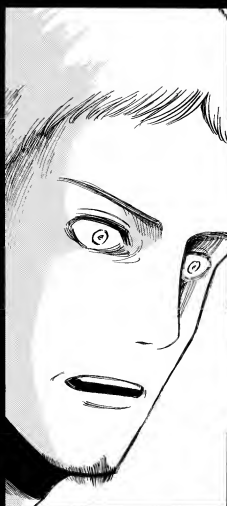
W-WELL,
WHAT
WAS I
GONNA
DO?!
SHE PUT
UP A
FIGHT!!

YOU'RE
GODDAMN
RIGHT! IT WAS
HER MOM THAT
HAD THE REAL
VALUE, BUT
YOU PANICKED
AND KILLED
THE BITCH!

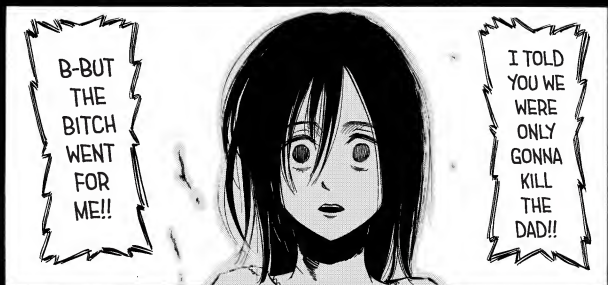


DR.
YEAGER,
WE'VE
BEEN
EXPECT-
ING YOU.

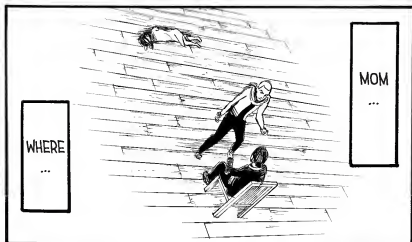














IS
ANYONE
HOME?



AH
...



I WAS
LOST...
IN THE
WOODS
...

HUH
...?
UM,
I...



HOW'D
YOU
FIND
THIS
PLACE
?!

HEY,
BRAT!



THERE
ARE
SCARY
WOLVES
IN THE
FOREST
?

YOU
SHOULD
KNOW BETTER
THAN THAT!
I MEAN, A KID
WALKING
THROUGH
THE FOREST
ALONE?



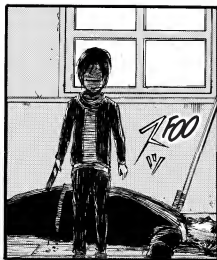
...AND
I SAW
THIS
CABIN
...





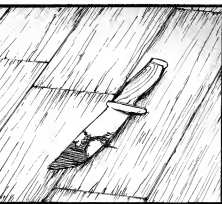














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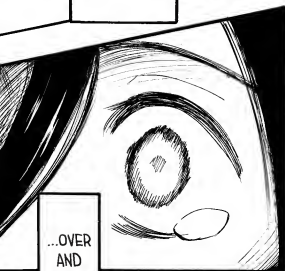
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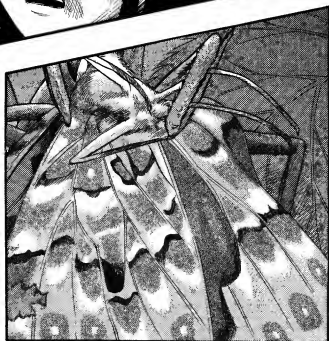
I'D SEEN
THIS
SCENE
BEFORE...



...I REMEM-
BERED.

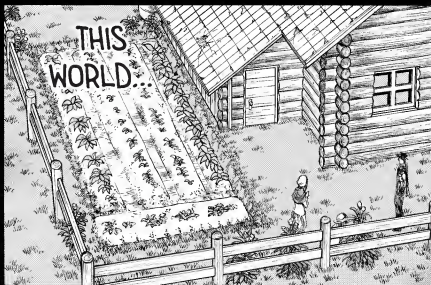
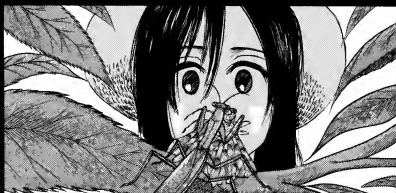


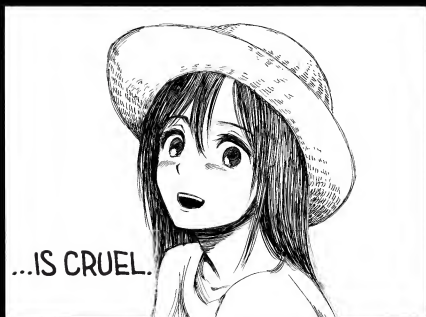
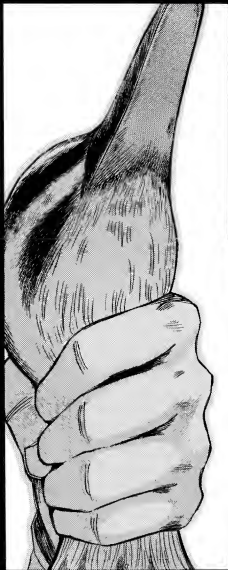
...OVER
AND
OVER
AGAIN.





THAT'S
RIGHT...

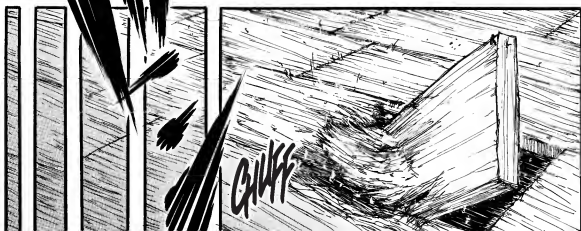


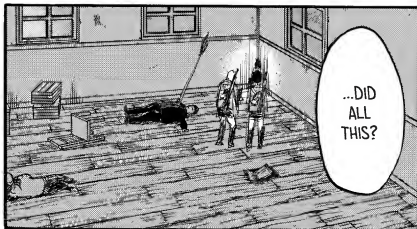






I
THOUGHT
I COULD
DO
ANYTHING.





IF I HADN'T SHOWN UP,
THEY WOULD HAVE BEEN
GONE BY THE TIME THE
MILITARY POLICE BRIGADE
HAD ARRIVED!! THE MPS
WOULD NEVER HAVE MADE
IT IN TIME!!

EREN
!!

THEY
ONLY
HAPPENED
TO
RE-
SEMBLE
HUMANS
!!

I STOPPED
DANGER-
OUS
BEASTS!!

YOU
SHOULD
NEVER
HAVE
ACTED
WITH SUCH
DISREGARD
FOR YOUR
OWN LIFE!!

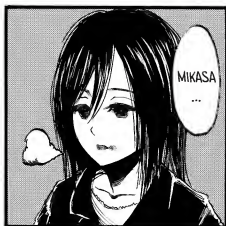
...YOU
WERE
JUST
LUCKY
!!

EVEN
SO,
EREN...

...HELP
HER
QUICK-
LY.

...I
WANT-
ED
TO...

BUT
...









LET'S
HURRY UP
AND GO
HOME...



...TO OUR
HOUSE.



LET'S
GO
HOME...

...OKAY.



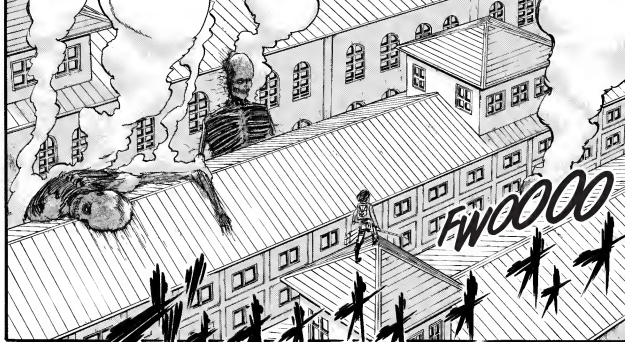
THIS IS
A CRUEL
WORLD...

...AND
ONLY
THE
WINNERS
SURVIVE.



FUDDO





HASN'T THE
POPULACE
FINISHED
PULLING OUT?!

THE EVACUATION BELL
HASN'T SOUNDED YET?!

RING
THE
BELL
!!

CLANK

ALL
RIGHT!
IT'S
LOCKED
!!



RUMBLE
RUMBLE
RUMBLE



IN THIS WORLD... I'VE GOT A PLACE TO GO HOME TO.



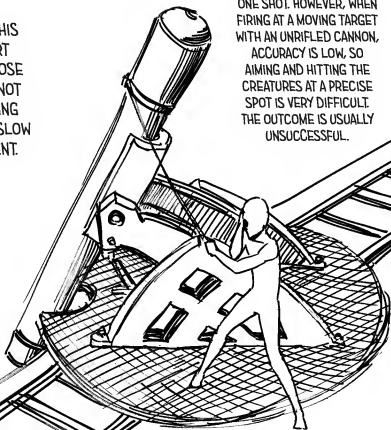
GRAPESHOT

SOLDIERS MAINLY USE THIS FOR ARTILLERY SUPPORT BEFORE IT COMES TO CLOSE QUARTERS COMBAT. IT'S NOT VERY EFFECTIVE AT KILLING THE TITANS, BUT IT DOES SLOW THEM DOWN TO AN EXTENT.



SHELL

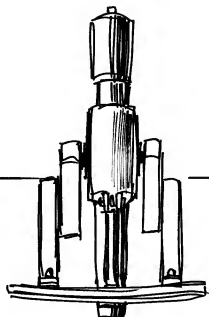
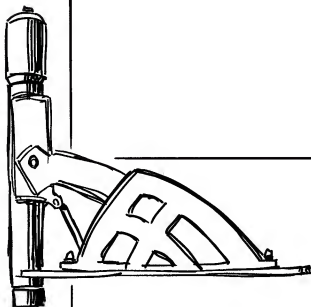
THE GOAL IS TO KILL THE TITANS WITH THESE. IF THE TITANS' WEAK POINT CAN BE HIT, IT'S POSSIBLE TO BRING THEM DOWN WITH ONE SHOT. HOWEVER, WHEN FIRING AT A MOVING TARGET WITH AN UNRIFLED CANNON, ACCURACY IS LOW, SO AIMING AND HITTING THE CREATURES AT A PRECISE SPOT IS VERY DIFFICULT. THE OUTCOME IS USUALLY UNSUCCESSFUL.



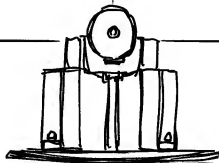
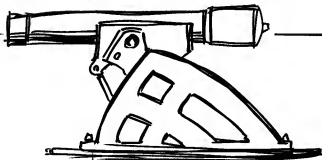
THE **RAIL CANNON** MUST BE SECURED FIRMLY WHEN FIRING OR ELSE THE WHOLE BATTERY ITSELF WILL BE BLOWN BACKWARDS. ONCE THE TARGET IS LOCKED ON, THE BATTERY IS SECURED TO THE RAIL. THESE NECESSARY ACTIONS DIMINISH THE SPEED OF FIRING.

Current Publicly Available Information

5. Wall-mounted Artillery

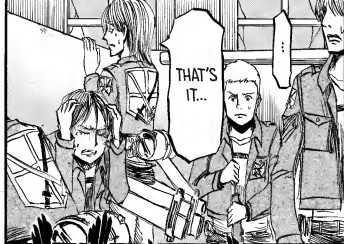


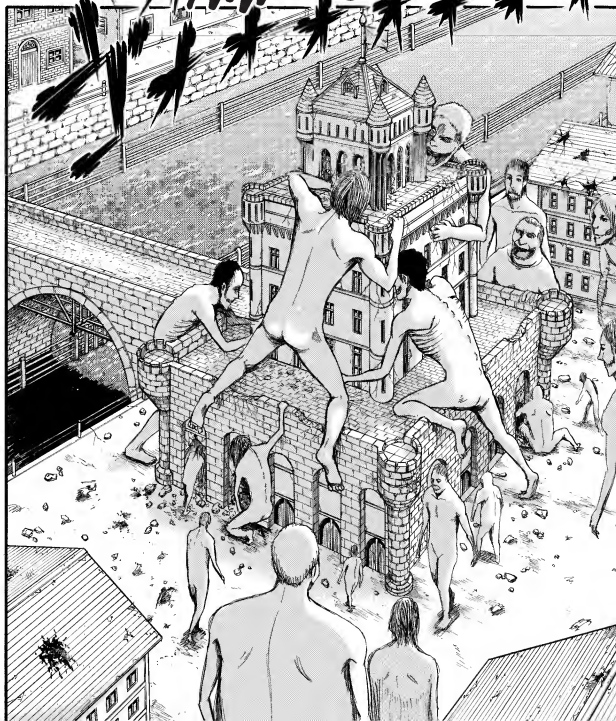
BEFORE THE ERA OF VERTICAL MANEUVERING GEAR, CANNONS WERE THE MAIN ANTI-TITAN WEAPON, BUT THEY LACKED MOBILITY AND WERE EXTREMELY DIFFICULT TO USE IN A GROUND WAR. ON THE OTHER HAND, THE WALL'S DEFENSE HAS BEEN IMPROVED THROUGH THE INSTALLATION OF MOUNTED CANNONS.



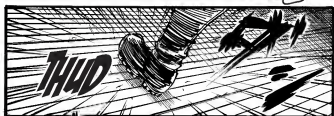
THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THESE AND TRADITIONAL MOBILE CANNONS IS THAT THE MOUNTED MODEL HAS THE ABILITY TO FIRE VERTICALLY DOWNWARD. THEIR STRUCTURE ALSO MITIGATES RECOIL.

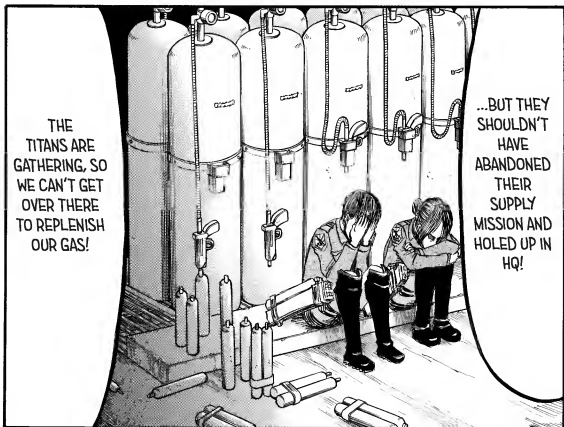
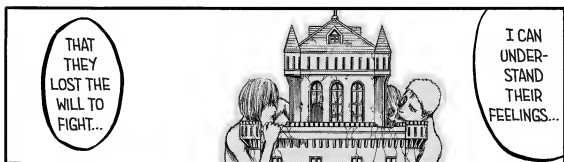
ATTACK on TITAN











THE
RESULT'S
GONNA BE
THE SAME IF
WE JUST SIT
AROUND
HERE! THE
TITANS WILL
BE ALL OVER
US HERE,
TOO!!



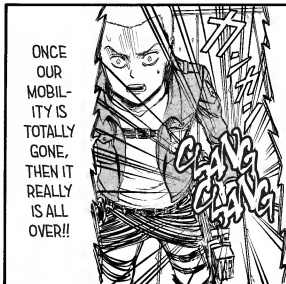
THE ONLY
THING WE
CAN DO IS
RISK IT ALL
TO KILL THE
SWARMING
TITANS
OVER
THERE!

OKAY,
THEN!

YOU'RE
USING
YOUR
HEAD FOR
ONCE,
CONNIE...



ONCE
OUR
MOBIL-
ITY IS
TOTALLY
GONE,
THEN IT
REALLY
IS ALL
OVER!!



AND IF
WE KEEP
TRYING TO
POINTLESSLY
ESCAPE, IT'LL
JUST WASTE
THE LAST
LITTLE BIT OF
GAS THAT WE
DO HAVE!

MOST OF THE
ADVANCE GUARD HAS
BEEN WIPED OUT...
WHO AMONG US IN
THE TRAINING CORPS
CAN TAKE COMMAND
OF A DESPERATE
OPERATION LIKE
THAT?



...BUT DO
YOU REALLY
THINK WE
COULD TAKE
THEM ON
WITH THIS
MANY
TROOPS?

I BET THERE
ARE 3-4 METER
TALL * TITANS
IN THE SUPPLY
ROOM, TOO.
OF COURSE,
IT'D BE
IMPOSSIBLE TO
MOVE AROUND
IN THOSE
CONDITIONS.

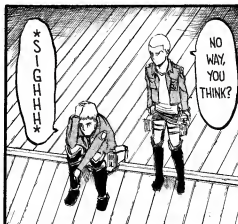


WELL... I
GUESS THAT
DOESN'T
MATTER, SINCE
EVEN WITH A
LEADER, WE
WOULDN'T BE
ABLE TO DO
ANYTHING
AGAINST THE
TITANS...

* approx. 10-13 feet tall



IT
WAS A
BORING
LIFE.



* S I G H H *

NO
WAY,
YOU
THINK?



...



LET'S
DO IT!!
EVERYONE!!
COME ON!!
ON YOUR
FEET!



I GUESS
IF IT'S
GONNA
END LIKE
THIS... I
MIGHT AS
WELL
SAY...



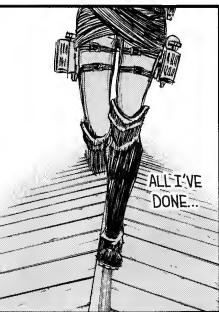
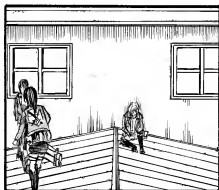




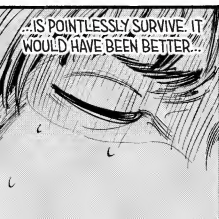
NOW
THAT YOU
MENTION IT,
ARMIN OVER
THERE WAS
FROM THE
SAME
SQUAD.



NO, BUT
SOME
SQUADS
MADE IT
OVER THE
WALL...



ALL I'VE
DONE...



...IS POINTLESSLY SURVIVE. IT
WOULD HAVE BEEN BETTER...



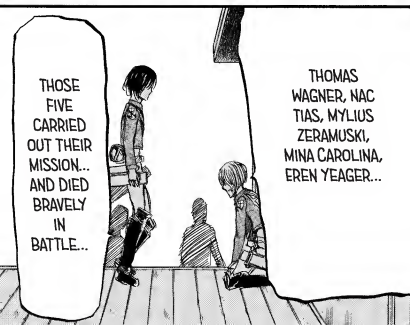
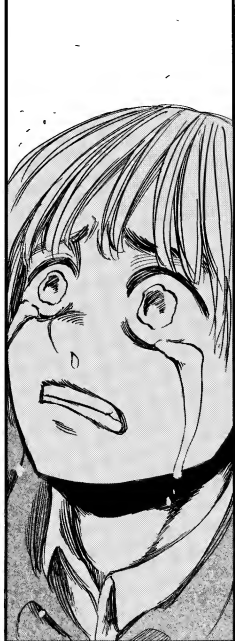
I CAN'T...
HOW CAN I
LOOK AT
HER...?

WHAT
COULD I
SAY... TO
MIKASA...?



MIKASA...



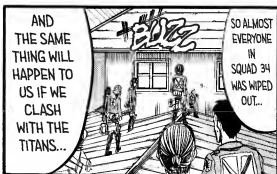


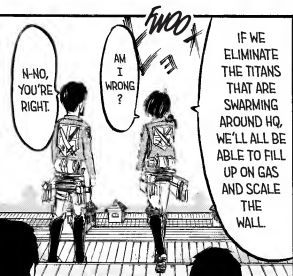
THOSE
FIVE
CARRIED
OUT THEIR
MISSION...
AND DIED
BRAVELY
IN
BATTLE...

THOMAS
WAGNER, NAC
TIAS, MYLIUS
ZERAMUSKI,
MINA CAROLINA,
EREN YEAGER...



IN
TRAINING
CORPS...
SQUAD
34...









BUT...
IF I
WIN,
I
LIVE
...

IF I
CAN'T
DO IT...
I'LL
JUST
DIE.

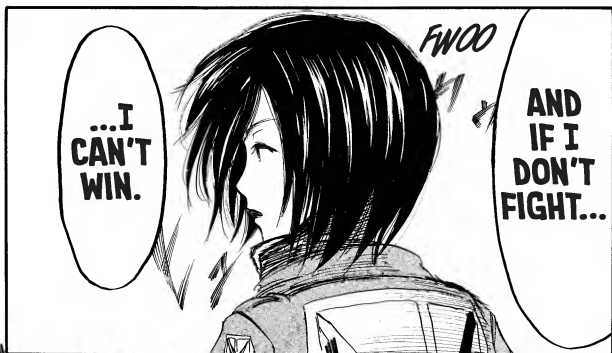


...



YOU
MEAN TO
ENGAGE
ALL OF
THOSE
TITANS
YOUR-
SELF?
IT'S
IMPOS-
SIBLE...

MIKASA...?
WHAT ARE
YOU
SAYING?!



...I
CAN'T
WIN.

AND
IF I
DON'T
FIGHT...



EREN...
THIS IS
YOUR
FAULT...



I BET YOU
MEANT FOR
THAT TO
GET US
FIRED UP...

YOU'VE
GOT TO
WORK ON
YOUR
VOCABU-
LARY...



H-
HEY!

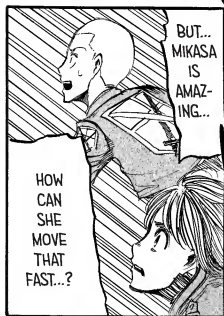
THUD
THUD

ALL
OF YOU
REALLY
WILL MAKE
COWARDS
OF
YOUR-
SELVES!!



HEY!!
WERE WE
TAUGHT
TO LET
ONE OF
OUR OWN
FIGHT
ALONE?!





BUT...
MIKASA
IS
AMAZ-
ING...

HOW
CAN
SHE
MOVE
THAT
FAST...?

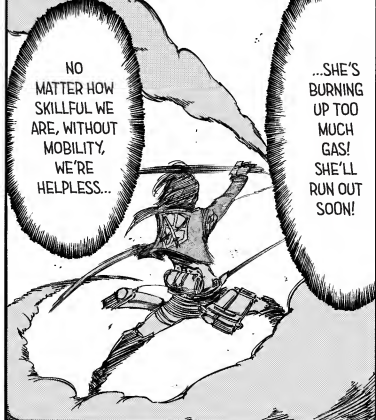


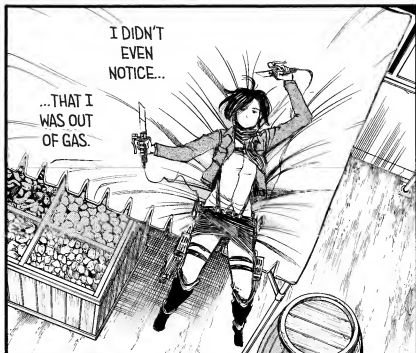
ACTUALLY
...



ANYWAY,
LET'S
MAKE
THIS A
SHORT,
DECISIVE
BATTLE
!!

AND
GET TO
HEAD-
QUARTERS
BEFORE
OUR GAS
RUNS OUT!!





I DIDN'T
EVEN
NOTICE...

...THAT I
WAS OUT
OF GAS.



I LOST MY
FAMILY AGAIN.



AGAIN...

THIS AGAIN...



THROB



I REMEMBER THE
PAIN AGAIN... DO
I... HAVE TO...

...START
ALL OVER
AGAIN?



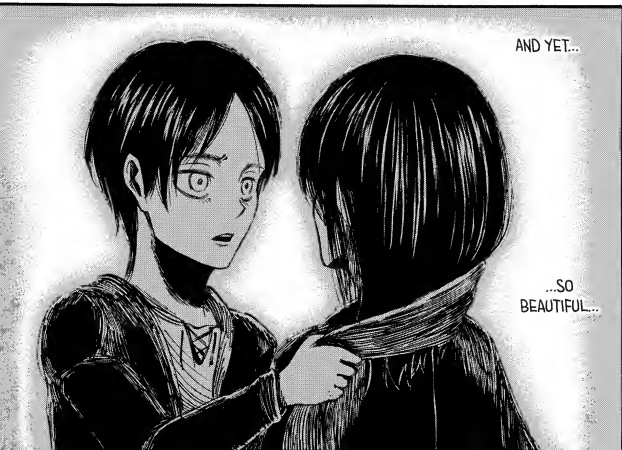
CRUMPLE



THUD



...CRUEL WORLD.

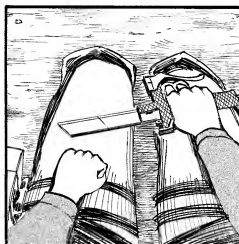
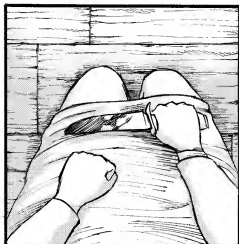


AND YET...

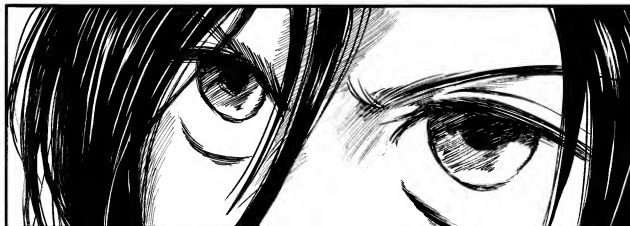
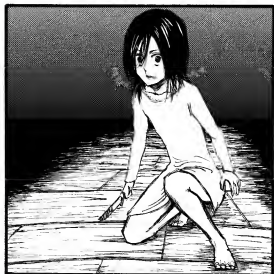
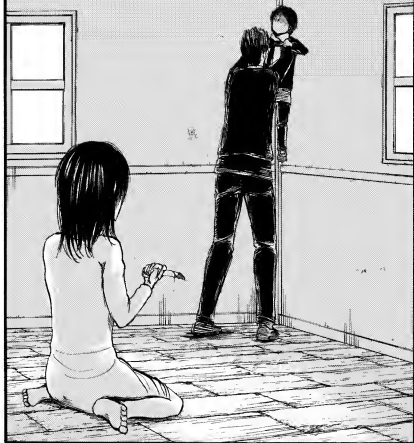
...SO
BEAUTIFUL...



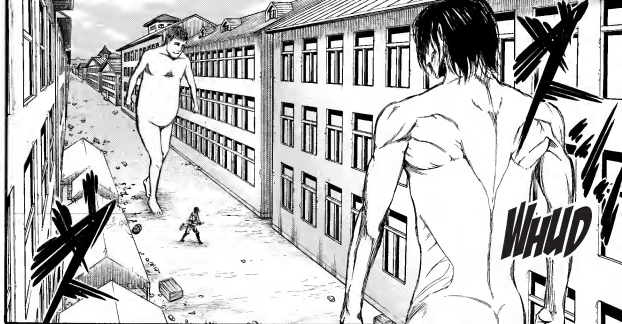
IT WAS
A GOOD
LIFE...





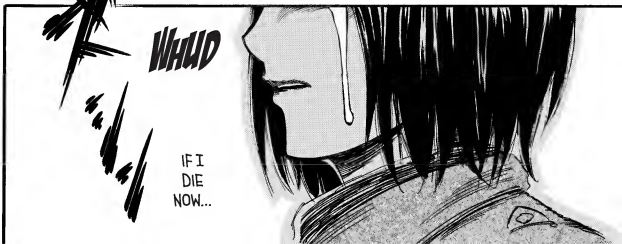
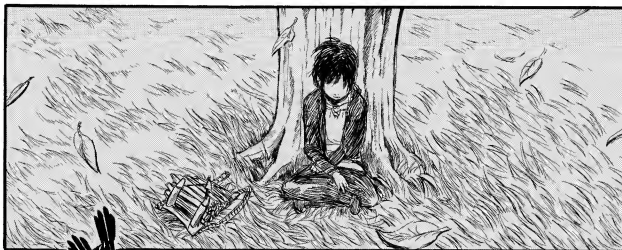






I'M SORRY, EREN...

I CAN'T...GIVE UP.



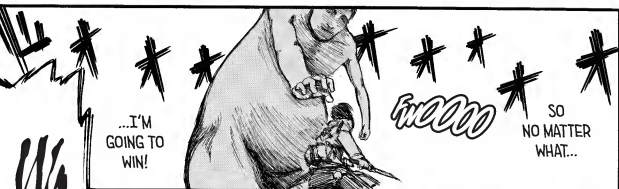
WHUD

IF I
DIE
NOW...



...TO
REMEMBER
YOU.

...I
WON'T
EVEN
BE
ABLE...



...I'M
GOING TO
WIN!

Freeeee

SO
NO MATTER
WHAT...



WHATEVER
I HAVE TO
DO, I'M
GOING TO
LIVE!!









ONE
TITAN...

...IS KILLING
ANOTHER TITAN?!

没表紙案

Rejected
Cover
Proposal



ATTACK on TITAN



Episode 8: Roar



BUT I'M
ALSO
SLIGHTLY...



I'VE NEVER
HEARD OF...

...ONE TITAN
ATTACKING
ANOTHER.



...LOOKS TO ME
LIKE THE FURY OF
THE HUMAN RACE
INCARNATE.

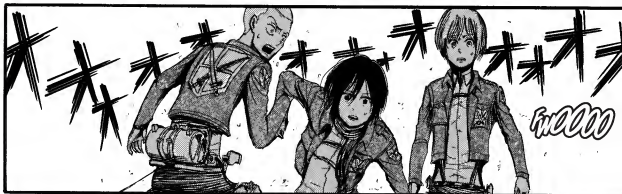
...BECAUSE THIS
SCENE...

...UPLIFTED...

















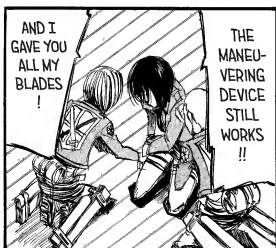


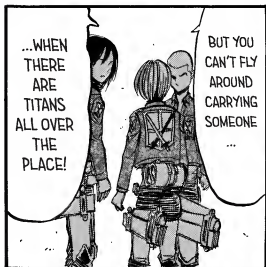




IT'S GOTTA BE THIS WAY!! THERE'S NO POINT IN ME HAVING IT!!







LET'S GO!!
I'LL CARRY
ARMIN!
MIKASA,
YOU
PROVIDE
COVER!!

THUD

GRAB

THERE'S
NO WAY
WE'RE
GONNA
LEAVE
YOU
BEHIND!!

LET'S GO!!
I'LL CARRY
ARMIN!
MIKASA,
YOU
PROVIDE
COVER!!

THUD

GRAB

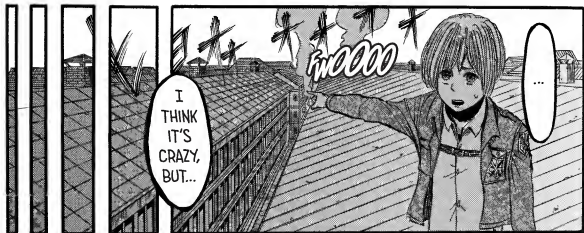
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NO WAY
WE'RE
GONNA
LEAVE
YOU
BEHIND!!

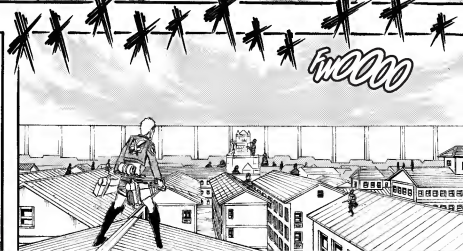
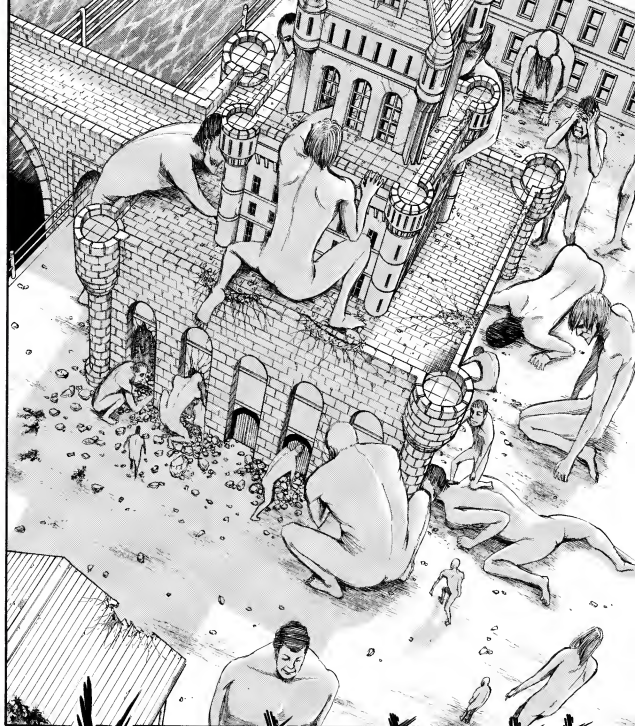


NO, DON'T... AT
THIS RATE...

...I'M GONNA GET
MORE FRIENDS
KILLED.

...I'M GONNA GET
MORE FRIENDS
KILLED.

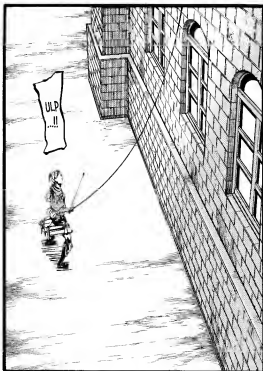




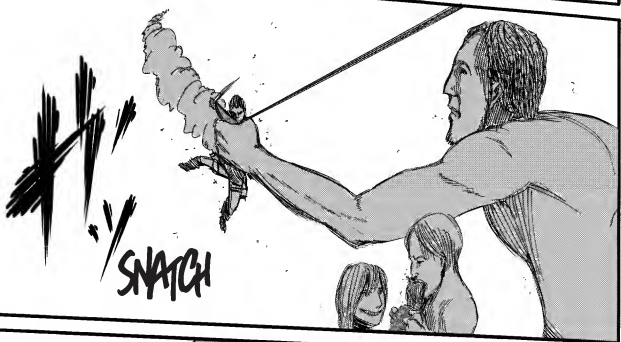


UNLESS I'M PREPARED TO
SACRIFICE MYSELF...

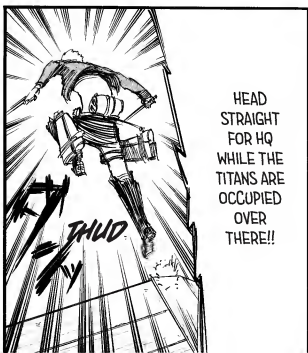
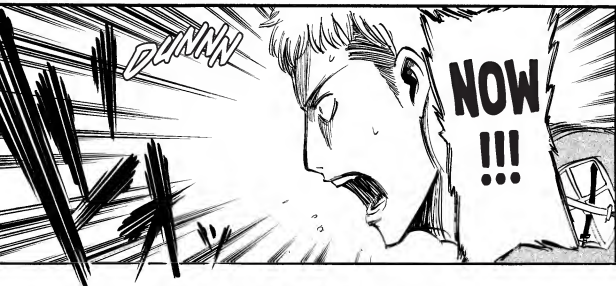
I CAN'T EVEN GET CLOSE
TO HEADQUARTERS...





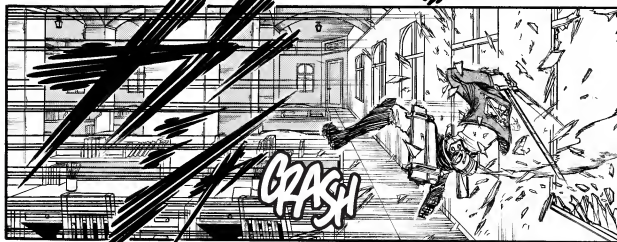


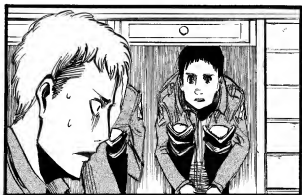
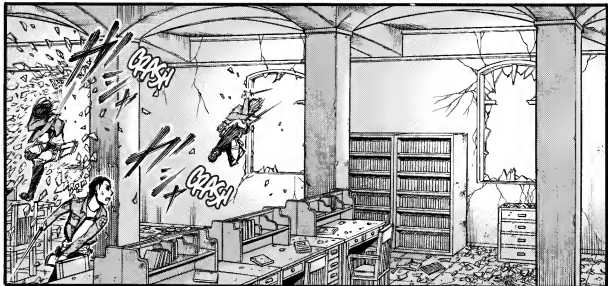


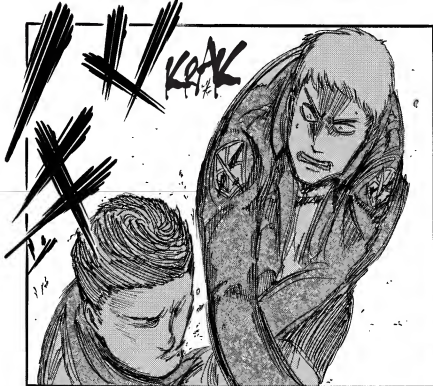












MORE
PEOPLE
DIED THAN
NECESSARY
BECAUSE
OF YOU
BASTARDS!!

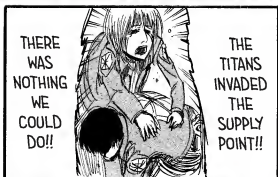
IT'S THEIR
FAULT!!
THEY LEFT
US IN THE
LURCH!!



STOP
IT!!
JEAN
!!



DOING
SOMETHING
ABOUT IT IS
YOUR JOB!!



THERE
WAS
NOTHING
WE
COULD
DO!!

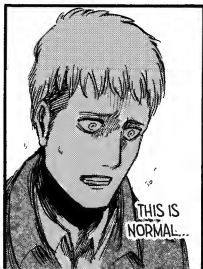
THE
TITANS
INVADED
THE
SUPPLY
POINT!!

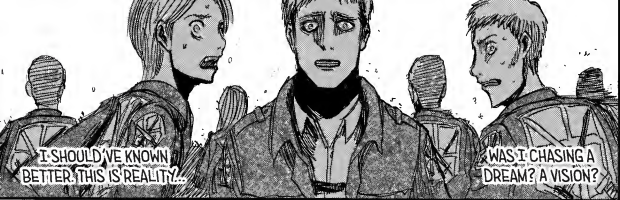


GET
DOWN
!!









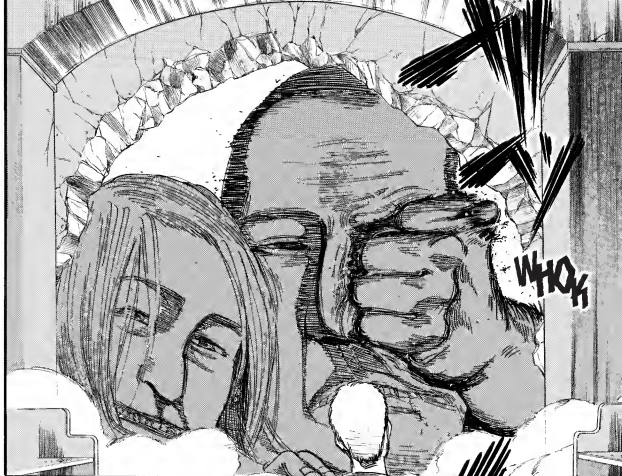
I SHOULD'VE KNOWN
BETTER. THIS IS REALITY...

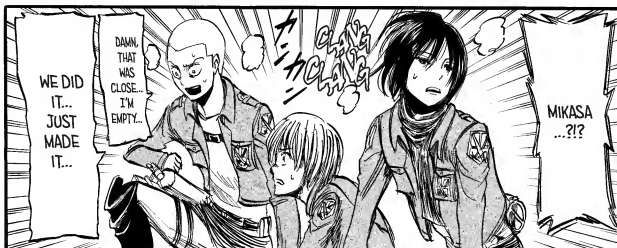
WAS I CHASING A
DREAM? A VISION?



IT'S SIMPLE,
REALLY,
WHEN YOU
THINK
ABOUT IT.

THERE'S JUST
NO WAY TO BEAT
THESE GIGANTIC
THINGS!



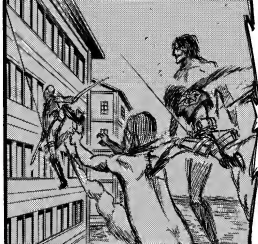




USE A
TITAN
?!

...?!

IF WE
PLAY OUR
CARDS
RIGHT, WE
CAN USE
IT TO
ESCAPE
FROM
HERE!!



MIKASA
AND I
ELIMINATED
THE TITANS
AROUND IT
AND LED IT
HERE,
WHERE THE
TITANS ARE
SWARMING!!



IT'S NO
DREAM
...!!



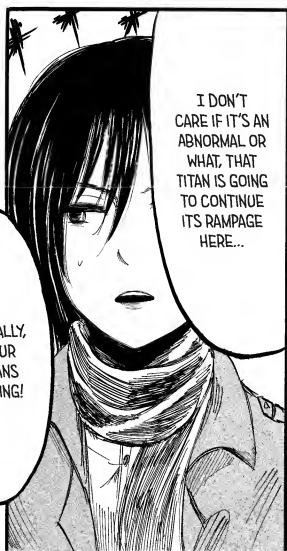
THAT'S
LIKE A
DREAM...

YOU'RE
SAYING
IT'LL HELP
US...?



fweeoo

REALISTICALLY,
THAT'S OUR
BEST MEANS
OF SURVIVING!

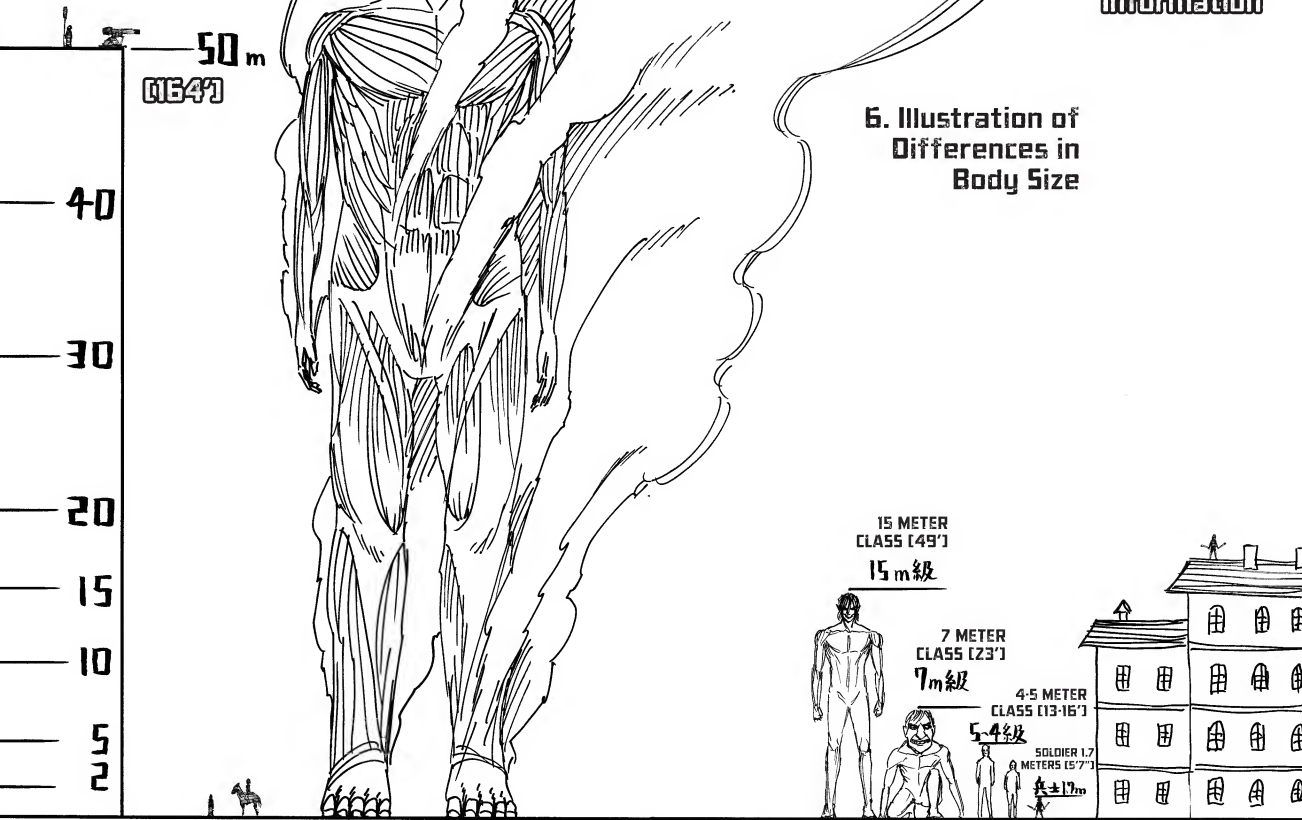


I DON'T
CARE IF IT'S AN
ABNORMAL OR
WHAT, THAT
TITAN IS GOING
TO CONTINUE
ITS RAMPAGE
HERE...

Estimated Height:
Approx. 60 Meters
Tall (197')

Colossus
Titan
超大型巨人
推定 約60m

Current
Publicly
Available
Information



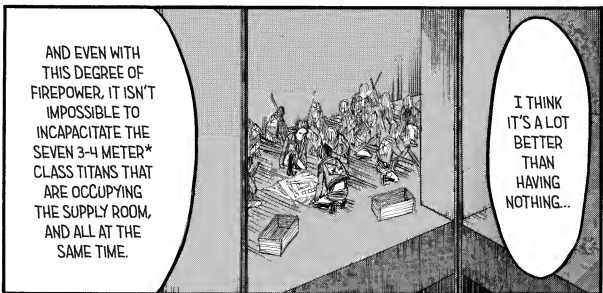
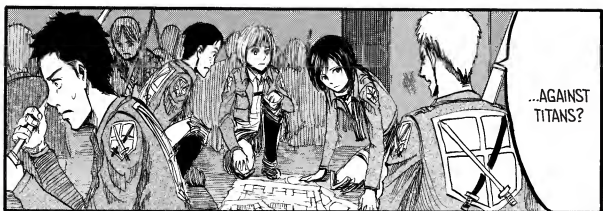
ATTACK on TITAN



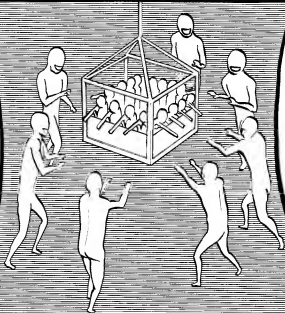
Episode 9:
The Beating of a
Heart Can Be Heard







NEXT, THE PEOPLE IN THE LIFT WILL FIRE AT THE SEVEN TITANS' FACES SIMULTANEOUSLY... THUS ROBBING THEM OF THEIR VISION.



FIRST... WE USE THE LIFT TO LOWER MOST OF US FROM THE CENTER OF THE CEILING. IF THOSE SEVEN TITANS ARE "NORMALS", A LARGE NUMBER OF PEOPLE SHOULD BE ENOUGH TO DRAW THEM TO THE CENTER OF THE ROOM.

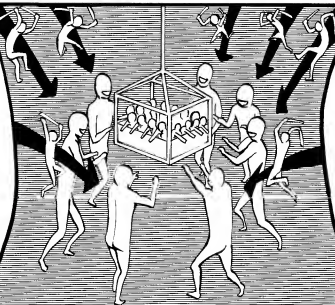


...THE NEXT INSTANT WILL DECIDE EVERYTHING.



AND THEN ...

...EVERYTHING RIDES ON THIS ONE ATTACK. ALL OF OUR LIVES ARE AT STAKE.



SEVEN PEOPLE HIDING NEAR THE CEILING WILL SWOOP DOWN IN TIME WITH THE FIRING AND SLASH THE TITANS' VITAL SPOT. IN OTHER WORDS...



THE POINT IS FOR
SEVEN PEOPLE TO
KILL SEVEN TITANS IN
ONE STROKE AND ALL
AT ONCE.



THE RISK'S
THE SAME
NO MATTER
WHO DOES
IT. IF ONE
FAILS,
EVERYONE
DIES...

NO
PROB-
LEM.



...BUT, UM...
I'M SORRY
THEY'LL
HAVE TO
BEAR THE
BURDEN OF
EVERYONE'S
LIVES ON
THEIR
SHOULDERS.

THE SEVEN
PEOPLE WITH
THE MOST
ATHLETIC ABILITY
PROBABLY
HAVE THE BEST
CHANCE OF
STRIKING HOME,
SO THEY'LL
DO THE JOB...



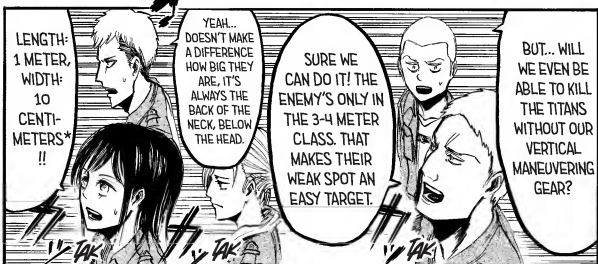
SO WE JUST
NEED TO
THROW
OURSELVES
INTO THIS
ONE, HEART
AND SOUL!

BESIDES,
I THINK
WE'RE ALL
TAPPED
OUT OF
IDEAS.



WE'VE
GOTTA GO
WITH IT. THERE
ISN'T TIME
TO THINK
OF
ANYTHING
ELSE...

BUT... IS
MY PLAN
REALLY
OUR
BEST
OPTION
...?



LENGTH: APPROX. 3', WIDTH: APPROX. 4"

I DIDN'T
KNOW THAT!!
SO THERE
ARE TWO
WAYS?!

!!

OR YOU
CAN STICK
THIS UP THEIR
ASSHOLES!!
THAT'S THEIR
ONLY OTHER
VITAL SPOT!!

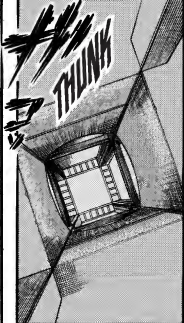
THIS IS
THE FIRST
I'VE
HEARD OF
IT...

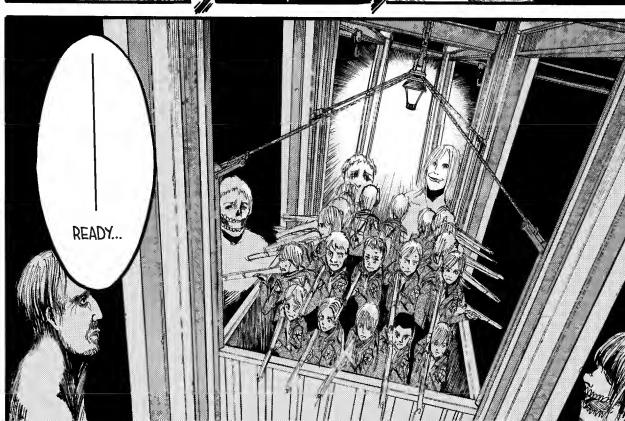
REINER...
THOSE COULD
VERY WELL BE
YOUR LAST
WORDS.

RUMBLE
RUMBLE
RUMBLE

GNAW 咬
GNAW

RUMBLE
RUMBLE
RUMBLE









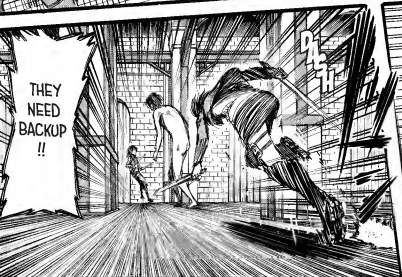
WE HAVE TO
AVOID FIGHTING
THEM... IF WE
DON'T WANT TO
LET EVEN ONE
PERSON DIE...

FINISH





WHAT
ABOUT
EVERY-
ONE
ELSE...
?!



...S-
SUDDEN-
LY...
STABBING
YOU... IN
THE
BACK...

REALLY
SORRY...
FOR...

R
...

U-
UM...

WHUD

WHUD

THUMP

EEP
...

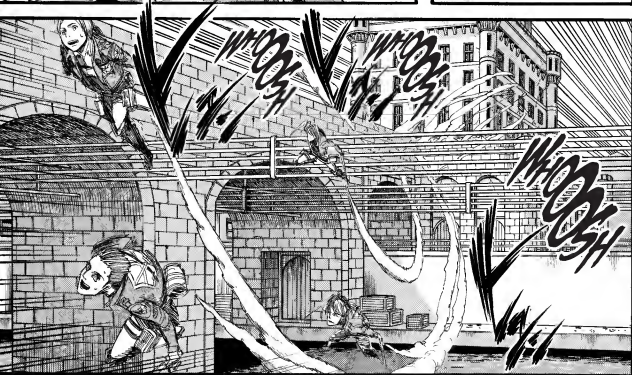
THUMP

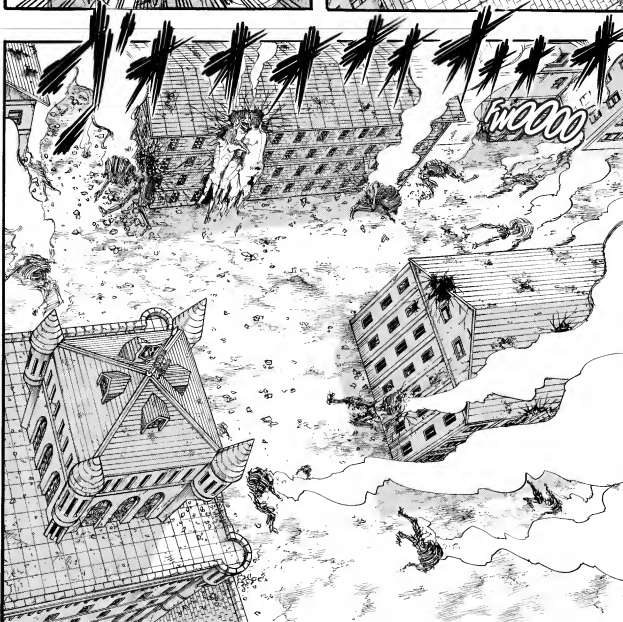
WHOOH

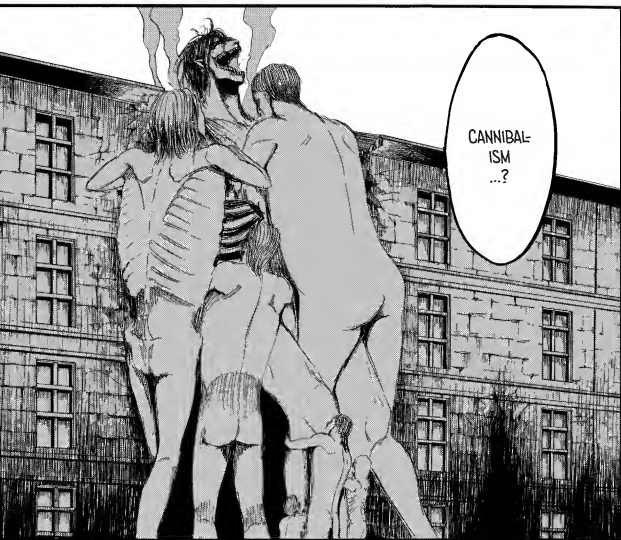
I'M
SO
SORRY
!!











I THOUGHT ...

HIS BODY CAN'T REGENERATE ...?



LET'S
ELIMINATE
THE ONES
THAT ARE
STICKING TO
THAT TITAN...
FOR NOW, TO
TRY AND
KEEP IT
ALIVE
LONGER!

IF IT GETS
EATEN, THE
WHOLE THING
WILL BE OVER
WITHOUT US
UNDERSTAND-
ING A DAMN
THING!



I
AGREE!

DON'T YOU
THINK IT
WOULD BE
A WEAPON
MORE
POWERFUL
THAN ANY
CANNON?

BUT WHAT
ABOUT THE
POSSIBILITY
THAT THIS
TITAN COULD
BECOME AN
ALLY...?

WE'RE
FINALLY
ABLE TO
ESCAPE
THIS
DEATH-
TRAP!

REINER,
ARE
YOU
INSANE
?!

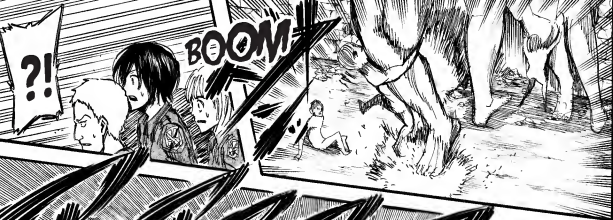
IS THAT
WHAT YOU'RE
SERIOUSLY
SUGGESTING
?!

?!
...AN
ALLY,
YOU
SAY
...?!

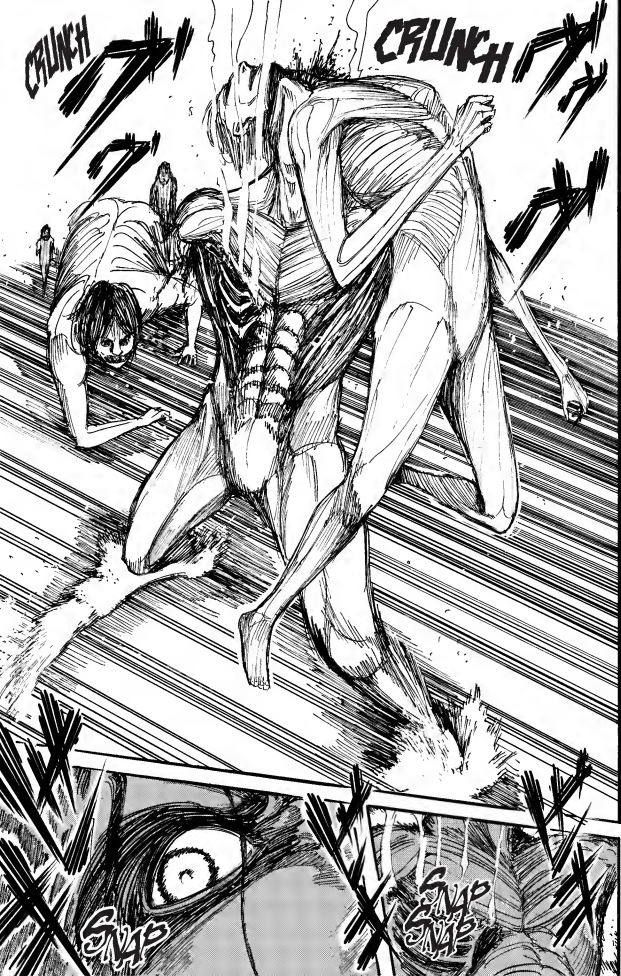
...THE
AB-
NORMAL
THAT
ATE
THOMAS
?!

ISN'T
THAT
...

AH
...





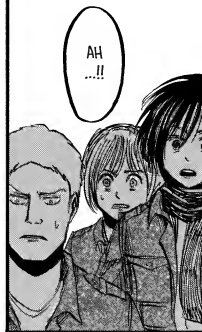






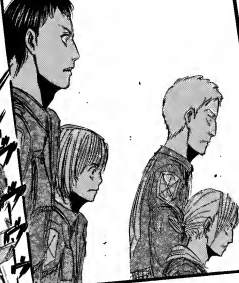
WHAT WAS
THAT ABOUT
HELPING
AGAIN?





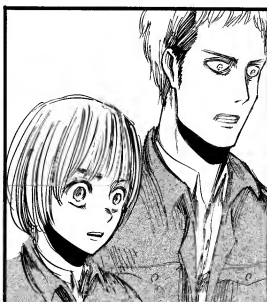
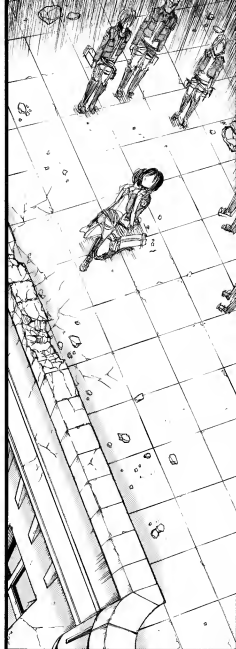


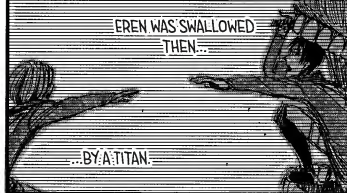










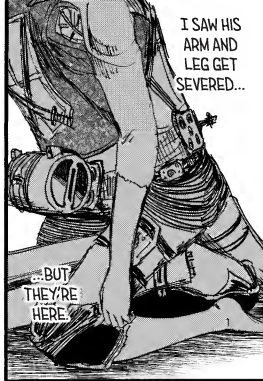


EREN WAS SWALLOWED
THEN...

...BY A TITAN.

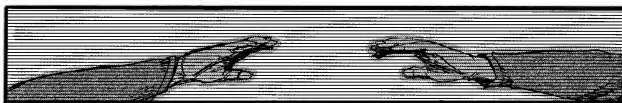


うわあああ
WAAAAA



I SAW HIS
ARM AND
LEG GET
SEVERED...

...BUT
THEY'RE
HERE.



...TO
YOU?

...HAPPENED ...



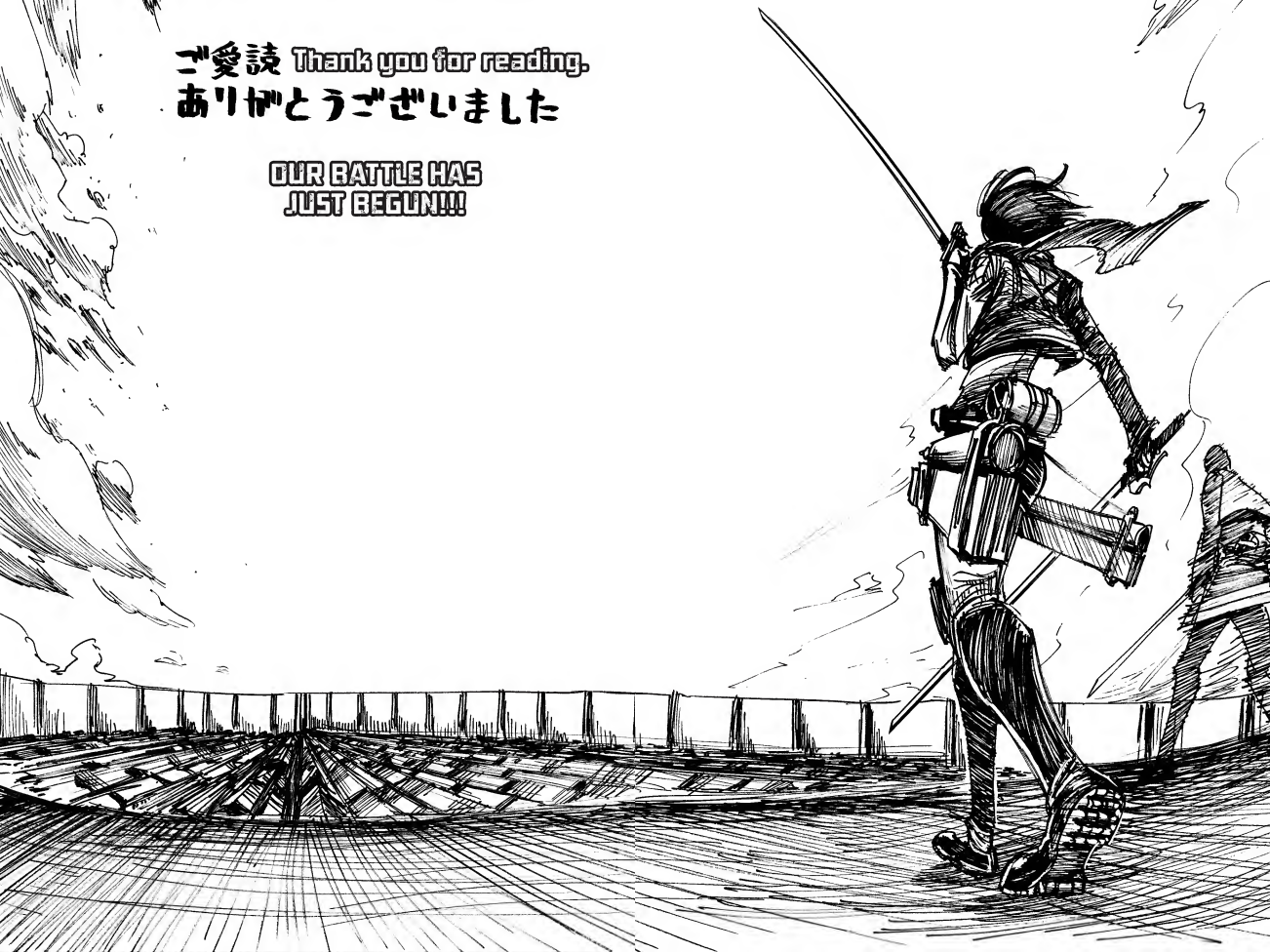
WHAT THE
HELL...

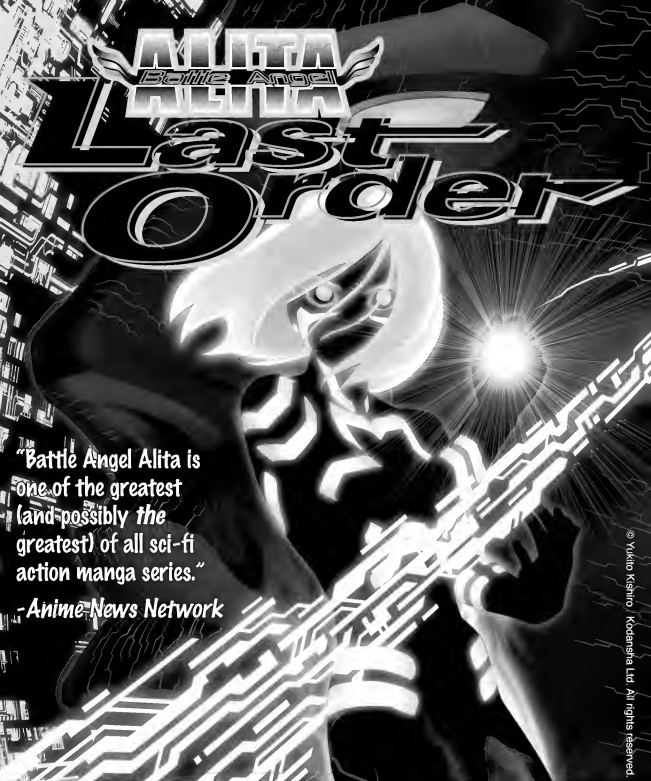


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